

## Message Text

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ORIGIN PM-07

INFO OCT-01 CCO-00 RSC-01 SS-20 SSO-00 ISO-00 NEA-10

NSC-10 SPC-03 NSCE-00 INRE-00 MC-02 ACDA-19 EUR-25

CIAE-00 INR-10 NSAE-00 /108 R

DRAFTED BY PM/SAS:DFARNHAM:BB

APPROVED BY NEA:RDAVIES

NEA/ARN:DRANSOM

PM:HLINDJORD

DOD/ISA:MGSUMNER

D:MSAMUELS (INFO)

T: EWMAN (INFO)

NEA/ARN:EDJEREJIAN

S/S MR. GAMMON

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FM SECSTATE WASHDC

TO AMEMBASSY AMMAN IMMEDIATE

INFO AMEMBASSY PARIS IMMEDIATE

SECDEF IMMEDIATE

USCINCEUR IMMEDIATE

C O N F I D E N T I A L STATE 247145

TOSEC 312

E.O: 11652 GDS

TAGS: MASS, JD

SUBJECT: TOW MISSILES

REF: AMMAN 6573, AMMAN 6653, AMMAN 6708

1. YOU MAY INFORM PM RIFAI THAT INITIAL SHIPMENT OF 18  
TOW LAUNCHERS AND 324 MISSILES WILL BE AIRLIFTED BY EARLY  
JANUARY. FOLLOW-ON SHIPMENT OF REMAINING 18 TOW  
LAUNCHERS WILL BE MADE BY END OF MARCH. JORDANIAN REPRE-  
SENTATIVES ATTENDING WASHINGTON CONFERENCE WERE SO ADVISED  
TODAY.

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2. (FYI: CURRENT SERIOUS SHORTAGE WORLDWIDE OF TOW  
MISSILES IN US INVENTORY DICTATES DECISION TO SPLIT SHIP-  
MENTS, WITH BALANCE BEING PROVIDED FROM MANUFACTURERS  
ASSEMBLY LINES.)

3. DETAILED SHIPPING INFORMATION TO FOLLOW. RUSH

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## Message Attributes

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